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Serial Nos.

Part B for May-29.

SUBJECT

Grant of a reduced pension of Rs 25- p.m. to ~~Laditi~~ Laldi Begum Sahiba for her life time

Go No: 21: 8090 dt 6.5.29
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[R.O. 106.]

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2 JAN. 1929

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OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 2nd Dec., 1928.

No. 24496 Enclos. 1.

309-1899

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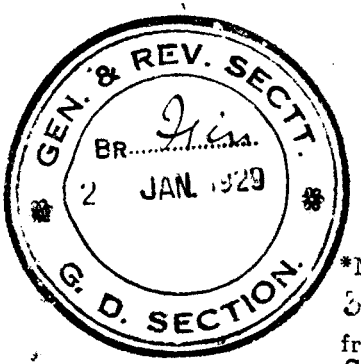

The petition

~~A copy of the~~ marginally* noted letter with enclosure, is forwarded with compliments, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, for favour of disposal.

*No. -- dated the 3rd December, 1928, from ~~the~~ Ladili Begum Sahiba, Royapettah, Madras.

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Captain.
for *Secretary to the Resident.*

AB.

531—15-9-1927—5,000—RPB.

2 179 Janay Jahan Khan Road Royapettah Madras 3rd Decr 28

To

His Excellency the Divan of Mysore,

Bangalore.

The humble petition of Ladili Begum Sahiba, Residing at No. 179 Janay Jahan Khan Road, Royapettah, Madras,

most respectfully showeth.

1. That your petitioner's husband Haji Ali Ahamed Sahib Chida, breathed his last, on the 16th of Nov 28 ~~instant~~, at Madras. The deceased was in enjoyment of a monthly pension of Rs. 50/ from Mysore Government as per P.P.O.No. 986 since the year 1901, Vide Proceedings of Mysore Government P.P. 127 dated 10th June 1901 and Comptroller of Mysore No. 17/133 dated 15th August 1901. The pension was being drawn in the Office of the Accountant General, Madras.

2. Your petitioner humbly submits that the original pension consisted of the entire amount of Rs. 72-8-0, which was enjoyed by the father of your petioner's late husband, Gulam Dustagir Sahib Chida. He was the grandson of late Gulam Ally Sahib Bahadur, the Mir Sadar of Mysore fame. That in consideration of the High esteem position held by the latter in the Mysore Durbar, the said Hagi Gulam Dustagir Sahib was allowed by Government a pension of Rs. 72 and Odd per mensem. After the death of Said Gulam Dustagir Sahib Chida, a sum of Rs. 50/ was granted to the petitioner's husband and the balance was continued to his sister Azmathunnisa Begum Sahiba and after her death, it is being enjoyed by her children.

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3. The petitioner represents that her deceased husband has left behind him 2 sons, 2 daughters and herself

as his widow. The eldest daughter is one Mahaboob Begum (aged about 35 years) who is unfortunately considered a widow (her husband having left her during the war of 1914 and not returned as yet) and who has also been blessed with a daughter about to be married. She was entirely dependant upon her father for her very bread and her position is still the same. The 2nd daughter Bathula Begum (aged about 30) is married to one Riazuddin Ahamed Sahib, who serves as an accountant in the North Arcot Collectorate on Rs. 45-3-0 per mensem. She has also been blessed with 3 children. This couple too was under the support of the deceased pensioner. Of the 2 sons left by the deceased, the eldest is one Gazaffat Hussain Chida aged about 40, and he is employed in the Postal Audit office Madras on a salary of Rs. 100/. He is married and has 6 issues. The next son is Zainulabidin Chida who is also employed in the post office and gets a salary of Rs. 60/. He is a bachalor.

4. Your petitioner begs leave to submit that her husband having now passed away, the burden of supporting his dependants has naturally devolved on her and she has no other go except to look to your kind Excellency for the continuance of the pension enjoyed by her late husband. She accordingly begs to request that the said pension of Rs. 50/ may be continued in the names of the 2 daughters of the deceased described above, as your petitioner will prefer to remain and spend her last days with them. The two sons have no objection to the compliance of your petitioners request on the ground that they are able to stand on their own legs.

5. For which act of kindness, Your petitioner will pray for your long life and prosperity.

Left Thumb impression of Ladili Bageum Sahiba

[redacted]

The humble petitioner.

O Mark of Ladili Bageum Sahiba

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6) The petitioner Ladli Begum Sahiba requests for the continuance of the State pension of Rs 50/- which her husband enjoyed in the names of her two daughters with whom she wants to live till her death. The request does not deserve to be granted as the pension was one limited for life of Ali Ahmed Chida, the petitioner's husband who while he was alive had applied for its distribution after his death in certain proportions between his two daughters & his wife in the event of her surviving him. This was not viewed favourably. (vide file S. A. 22-28. placed below) -

Hon: L.

7) May an endt: issue that her request cannot be granted in the circumstances

6.1.29

8. Please put up the G. O granting the pension of Rs 50/- to the

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Cable Mr. Chida.

MB
7/1/29

9) The old collection is obtained and put up as ordered by the Asst. Secy. Regn. is invited to the paper (vide. flagged E.)

10. It will be seen therefrom that the late Rao Bahadur Haji Ali Ahamed Chida was granted a life pension of Rs. fifty a month.

11 The pension of Rs 50/- had been granted to the late Rao Haji Ali Ahmed Sahib Chida for life for the specific purpose of educating his sons.

12. The pension has to lapse.

8/1/29

13. Please put up the reference re A in the petition.

9-1-29

14. The called for, viz. (M-S.P. 39 A) is put up and the S.T.O. to sanctions the Continuance of the pension of Azmathunnissa Begum in the name of

(3. July 1904)

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her eldest son Mir Md. Ghause Sahib Razvi for the benefit of the aged husband of the deceased Azmathunnisa Begum, the 3rd son and two daughters whose conditions were so miserable that they enlisted the Sympathy of the Govt: and that the Continuance of the pension was only a concession which was not undeserved.

15. In the present case, except the eldest daughter, all others are well-off. If the Govt: are inclined to view this request favourably, a pension of Rs 20/- for the support of the widow and her eldest daughter may be sanctioned and registered in the name of the widow.

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16. Subd for orders with reference to Secy's note on the previous page (para 13)

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J.L. Secy) 16/1/29

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State pensions, when considered as life grants, are being continued after suitable reduction on ~~each~~ the ~~main~~ to the heirs of the last-holder, provided they are in need of Govt. help.

7 18. In the present case the continuance of the pension of Rs 20 sanctioned on behalf of Ayamathunnisa Begum Sahiba (dead) when children has been urged as a ground for the change of the applicant.

19. I think a pension of Rs 20 per mensem may be granted to the petitioner during her life-time for the maintenance of herself and the family dependent on her.

A 20. Before however issuing orders, it may be desirable to enquire of the Collector of Madras what the Religious-Status of the petitioner and her husband and the petitioner is in need of State assistance.

(1st. member) 17.1.29 MV

21. The usual report may be obtained

MV 17.1.29

22. Draft

MV 16/1/29

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23. Subd with a draft to the Residency (for approval) as per orders of the 1st Member of Council (para 21 of the notes) L

Cys. 19.1.29 S.D.

H(Secy) MR, 20-1-29

L 21-1-29

24. Issue MR 22-1

O.N.
C/W warrants to be compld to enter facts correctly in drafting of L
Suptd. will also verify statements made in drafts
MR, 22-1-29

To The Secy: to the Resident.

Pol: 749 dated 23.1.29

Requests that the Collector of Madras may kindly be addressed for an enquiry and for favor of report as to whether the facts stated in the petition of Lakshmi Begum are true etc.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

SJA File No. 22 of 1928.

Serial No.

From the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore
No 3602 / 309-99 dated 23.6.1929 forwarding
a copy of Collector's Letter No 413/29
d 26-3-1929.

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25. The Collector of Madras states that the petr is in indigent circumstances and her case is deserving of help subd with a Govt order sanctg a life pension of Rs 20 p.m. in accordance with the Govt servts rule at para 20.

27.4.29

Dy Secy
27/4/29

1st member

30/4/29

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26. Half the pension Rs 25 may be given to the Widow for life. Govt not necessary to say that the pension is for her dependents.

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27 Issue
1/5/29

To P.90 d 6.5-1929 to the Comptroller.

Sanctns a reduced pension of Rs 25 p.m. pension for life to Lakshmi Bayamma from the date from which the pension is vacant—

Pol II 20 d 6.5-1929 to the Govt to the Resident

Forwards copy of the above Govt order for information

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General and Revenue Secretariat

S. A File No. 5216/22

App. F. III—2] of 1928 (a)

Serial No.

Memorial from Lahli Begum Sahiba dated 30th May: 1929

Praying for the reconsideration of orders already passed sanctioning a reduced State pension of Rs 25/- pm etc.

1) The request made in para 7 of her memorial is for orders.

2) Kind reference is invited to the notes of discussion in File S. A. 22-28 put up below.

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H Secy I

P.7.29

There is no reason to reconsider the previous decision.

The request may be refused.

1st/- munshi

I agree

3.7.29

5-1/9.7.29

Submit with a draft Endt.

9.7.29

Issued 10/7/29

No: H: 334 & 11.7.29

Informing that there is no reason to reconsider the orders already passed

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Date of issue 23-1-1929

Signed by Mr. B. Srinivasa Iyengar.

P.W.D.

List of enclosures.....

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File No. 22-28

Serial No. 4

No. Pol. 749 Encl. 1.

To

The Secy: to the Hon'ble
The Resident in Mysore
Bangalore

Sir.

Encl: With reference to your ~~letter~~ No: 389-1899, dated the 2nd Jan: 29, forwarding for disposal a petition dated 3rd Dec: 1928 from Ladili Begum Sahiba, praying for the Continuance to her ~~for the benefit of herself and her~~ two daughters of the State pension of Rs 50/- which was being enjoyed by

over

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late
her husband Haji Ali Ahmed

Chida, I am directed to request ~~that~~ may kindly be addressed for an enquiry and form of certificate as to ~~be so good as to enquire~~ whether

~~from~~ the Collector of Madras, whether
~~the facts stated~~ in the petition
are true and whether the petitioner
really is in need of State Assistance.

2 A copy of the petition in question
is ~~herewith sent~~ also enclosed for reference.

I have etc

21-1-29

Fwl: Secy. to Govt:

19.1.29

[R.O. 106.]

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FINANCIAL SECRETARY
26 APR. 1929
No.

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OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 23rd April *1929*.

No. 3602 Enclos. 8 —
309-1899

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26 APR. 1929
FINANCIAL BRANCH.

Pol. No. 1322 Enq

* In original. M.S.V.2

A copy of the marginally* noted letter, with enclosure, is forwarded with compliments, to the ~~Chief~~ Financial Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, for information, with reference to his letter No. Fl.Pol.749/S & A. 22-28, dated the 22nd January, 1929.

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*No. 413/29, dated the 26th Marcy, 1929, from the Collector of Madras.

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Major.
for *Secretary to the Resident.*

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Letter L.Dis.A-No.413/29, dated the 26th March, 1929, from the Collector of Madras, Madras, to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Pension - Ladili Begum Sahiba - w/o Haji Ali Ahmed Chida - Your No.1273/309-1899 dated 6th February. 1929.

The facts stated in the petition dated 3rd December, 1928 of Ladili Begum Sahiba are true. The second son of the petitioner Zinulabiddin is a bachelor living an extravagant life and does not materially help his mother. The deceased left no property. The petitioner requests that the pension of Rs.50/- paid to her husband by the Mysore Darbar may be divided equally between her two daughters and registered in their names subject to the condition that it should be enjoyed by her during her life time. The sons have no objection to this. Please see the statements of the sons and the petitioner enclosed.

The petitioner is in indigent circumstances and I enclose two certificates in corroboration thereof one issued by Khan Bahadur Muhammad Zinda Sahib, Revenue Officer, Corporation of Madras and the other by Mr. K. Kunhi Krishna Nair, B.A., B.L., Advocate Madras. She deserves help at the hands of the Mysore Darbar and her request may be complied with.

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"C O P Y"

W.O. Sherwood

Major.
REGISTRAR, RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Emerald Villa 913
Smith Road
Madras
10.3.1929

I certify that I knew
the late Ali Ahmed Sahib
Chida from my boyhood
He was drawing a
pension of Rs 50/- from
the Mysore Durbar. His
two sons are fairly well off
but one of his two
daughters is a widow.
She has no one to support

her or her daughter.

Shri The daughter has a large family which her husband is not able to maintain with his meagre income The widow of the late Ali Ahmed Saheb is still alive and lives a miserable life She left no property or valuable

She & the two daughters
deserve the sympathy
of the Durbar. It is a
pity that the sons find
it difficult to support
their mother & sisters as
they have their own difficulties

Yours
& Rev Sirs.
Madras Corporation

K. KUNHI KRISHNAN NAIR, B.A., B.L.,
ADVOCATE.

"ANANDA BAUGH,"
VEPERY.

Madras, 11-3-1929.

I Certify that I know some members of the late Ali Ahmed Sahib Chida's family. He was drawing a pension of Rs 80/- from the Mysore Durbar. But that pension has been withheld after the death of the above gentleman.

One of the two daughters of the late Chida is a widow and she has absolutely no resource of livelihood. The stoppage of the pension has affected her very livelihood. Another daughter with a large family is also in very abject circumstances. The widow of the late pensioner is also alive and is having a miserable existence on account of poverty

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They deserve in all ways the graceful sympathy of the Durbar and the revival of the pension especially in view of the fact that the deceased pensioner left no property of any kind to his descendants.

Two sons of the deceased Chitda are having practically a hand to mouth existence out of their earnings and so are not in a position to better the conditions of the Non Earning members.

K. Kumbhakonam Rao

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Statement of messrs Jazaffar Hussain Chida and Zainulabadin Chida, residing at no: 179 Jame Jan Khan Road, Madras.

We are employed in the postal department on Rs 100/- Rs 60/- respectively. As our mother and sisters are in poor circumstances we have no objection, in granting the State pension, that our deceased father was drawing named Rs 50/- per mensem to our mother Kadili Begam and sisters, Mahaboob Begam and Bathula Begam. The pension of Rs 50/- may kindly be divided equally between our two sisters (ie Rs 25/- each) and registered in their names. But it may be ordered that during the life-time of our mother, the pension of Rs 50/- is to be enjoyed by her. We therefore renounce all our claims over the said pension.

Md Zainulabudeen Chi
(2nd Son)

Jazafar Hussain Ch
(Eldest Son)

Before me.
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Statement of Kadili Begam residing at No. 179, Jame Jam St. Royapettah, Madras

I am the widow of the late Haji Ali Khan Sahib Chida Sahib and I am the applicant for the continuance of the pension of Rs 50/ that my husband was drawing - I request that the pension of Rs 50/ may kindly be divided in two equal parts (Rs 25/ each) and registered in the names of my two daughters. Mahaboob Begam and Bathula Begam - But I request that I may be allowed to draw the whole pension during my life time - My two sons have no objection to this - I am now aged about 60 years old -

Read over, explained in tamil and admitted to be correct.

Witness

Ghazafur Hasain Chide

Before me.
M.R.I.
12/3/29

Left Thumb impression of
Kadili Begam

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:-

Government Order P.P.No.127 dated 10th June 1901 sanctioning the continuance of a state pension of Rs.50/- a month during his life time to Mr. Ali Ahmed Chida, son of Haji Gulam Dastagir to enable him to educate his sons.

2. Petition dated 3rd December 1928, of Ladili Begum Sahiba, widow of Mr. Ali Ahmed Chida, forwarded with Residency Memo No.24496 dated 2nd January 1929 stating that since the death of her husband the burden of supporting herself and her daughters has devolved on her that she has no other means of support except the pension her husband was in receipt of and requesting that the said pension be continued in the names of her 2 daughters.

3. Copy of letter No.L.Dis.A.No.413-29 dated 26th March 1929, from the Collector of Madras, forwarded with the Residency Memo No.3602/309-99 dated 23rd April 1929.

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ORDER NO.FL. 8090/8948 22-28-5 Dated, Bangalore, the 4th May 1929. 6 Cr

Government are pleased to direct that a reduced pension of Rs.25/- per mensem be sanctioned to the petitioner Ladili Begum Sahiba, during ~~his~~ her life time with effect from the date from which the pension is vacant.

(Sd/-) B. Srinivasa Iyengar,
Financial Secretary to Government.

To

The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Memo No.Fl.

Dated, Bangalore, the 4th May 1929.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, with a covering letter.

By Order,

for Financial Secretary to Government.

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Serial No.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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, *the* 192 .

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Date of issue.... 6.5.29

Signed by.....

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May this be

i Printed ?

ii treated as a standing order ?

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the press ?

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Read— Govt Order P.P No 127 dated 10.6.1901 sanctioning the grant continuance of a state pension of Rs 50 a month during his life time to Mr Ali Ahmed Ghida Son of Haji Gulam Dastgir ~~deceased~~ late ~~Amildar~~ Circuit Officer.

2. ~~Read~~ Petition dated 3-12-1928 of Lachili Begum Sahiba, ~~wife~~ widow of Mr Ali Ahmed Ghida forwarded with Residency Memo No 24496 dated 2-1-1929 stating that

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since the death of her husband ~~that~~ the burden of supporting herself and her daughter has devolved on her that she has no other means of support except the pension her husband was in receipt of and requesting that the said pension be continued

in the names of her 2 daughters

2. Copy of the Letter No
L. Dis A No 1113-29 d 26-3-1929
from the Collector of Madras - forwarded
with the Residency Memo No 3602
dated 23-4-1929 - stating that
the facts mentioned by the Petr
are true, that the deceased
has left no property, that the petr
Laddli Begum Sahiba is in indigent
circumstances & that she is
deserving of help.

Order. G 8090/ dtd 6-5-29

Govt observe that these Staté pensions are life grants.

In the circumstances Govt are pleased to direct that a reduced pension of Rs 25 per mensem be sanctioned to the petr Laddli Begum Sahiba, during her life time for the maintenance of herself and the family depend ent on her, with effect from

The Dr G to pay this pension to Madras

The Collector of Madras

The Comptroller.

Copy to the Secretary to the Resident with reference to letter dated 1-5-29

The Collector of Madras states that the petitioner is in indigent circumstances & that the facts stated in the petition are true - It is expedient that the pension should be granted to the 2nd daughter of the deceased petitioner, Laddli Begum Sahiba.

List of enclosures.

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To

The Secretary to the
Hon. the Resident
in Mysore

Sir

I am directed to forward herewith for information a copy of Govt order No dated sanctioning the continuance of a reduced pension of Rs 25/- per mensem to Sadili Begum Sahiba, widow of late deceased Ali Ahmed Chida

Have the honour to be Sir Your most obedient servant

for Secretary

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Pet. No. 2336 / Gr 28

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated 11 : 6 : 1929

The accompanying petition addressed to the Dewan is forwarded, with compliments, to the Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

GENL. & REV. SECTT.
19 JUNE 1929
FINANCIAL BRANCH.

By Order,

Private Secretary to the Dewan.

OFFICE OF THE DEWA
OF MYSORE.
Date of Receipt 10.6.29
Petn. Regr. No. 2336

To

His Excellency the Dewan of Mysore,

B a n g a l o r e.

The humble memorial of Lalâi Begum Saheba, wife of Janab Haji Ali Ahamed Sahib Chida, Grand-son of the late Ghulam Ali Khan Sahib Bahadur, the Mir Sadar of Mysore Fame.

May it Please Your Excellency:-

1 That your humble memorialist with every mark of respect, due deference and humble veneration, begs to lay the following grievances before Your Excellency, earnestly hoping that the same may kindly be heard and granted.

2 That the Memorialist's husband who was in receipt of a perpetual pension of Rs.50/- per mensem from the Most Exalted the Durbar of His Highness the Maharajah of Mysore State, has departed this world on 17-11-28 leaving behind a very large family. The Memorialist's husband's prematured and sudden demise has given a dead blow not only to the Memorialist but also to all the dependants including both her sons and daughters.

3 That the memorialist submitted a petition addressed to Your Excellency on 26-11-28, having explained the circumstances of her most pitiable case hoping that she will be fortunate to get her husband's full pension inherited among the Memorialist's two daughters. Now the Memorialist understands that a moiety of the pension lapsed to the Government and a pension of Rs.25/- has been sanctioned in the Memorialist's name.

Vide G.O: no: 71. 8990 dated 6-5-29 3-A 22 flag: 6

4 That in this connection the Memorialist begs to state

that the detailed circumstances which were stated in the previous petition of 26-11-28, perhaps did not satisfy the authorities of the Government on which account her pitiable case was not favourably considered in its full and true colour.

5 That the Memorialist now begs to point to Your Excellency's satisfaction that her two sons Viz., Gazafar Hussain Chida and Zainulabudin Chida are unable to help the Memorialist and her daughters, for, their earnings are hardly sufficient to answer their own domestic purpose. To speak the truth the Memorialist's husband was a great helping hand to all the female dependants and ever since the Memorialist's husband breathed his last, the female members including herself are caught into the clutches of poverty, and the Memorialist having seen the present narrow circumstances of her two sons, she can have no voice to insist upon them as the elder son is awfully in the midst of a very large family and is entangled in debts. The younger one never turns up at all and thereby the difficult problem of her life in future is left at Your Excellency's mercy to solve. In the meanwhile the Memorialist may also be permitted to state that her elder daughter though was married, yet the bad stars of her fate made her left adrift in this world being quite unprovided for with a daughter who has already become fit to be married as the Memorialist's son-in-law deserted himself for the last 15 years and it is not known whether he is alive or dead. The other point is that the Memorialist's younger daughter though was given in marriage to a respectable man yet her husband's limited income is such that it does not answer both for the maintenance of his old parents and his family. With these two main reasons, the Memorialist's husband spent his pension only among the Memorialist's and her daughters. Now it is a matter for consideration as to how the Memorialist, a widow

can manage with her daughters within the means of Rs.25/- when she has no other source of help and maintenance. The Memorialist begs to point out that the pension of Rs.20/- of the Memorialist' husband's sister Viz., Azmat-un-nissa Begum was fully distributed among her heirs after her demise. So much so, the Memorialist' husband's pension of Rs.50/- also stand in the same scale as that of her husband's sister. Such being the case, the Memorialist's circumstances being absolutely worse, she deserves much more consideration in her pitiable case for the grant of not only the full pension of Rs.50/- of her late husband being distributed among her two daughters Viz., Mahboob Begum Saheba and Bathula Begum Saheba in equal shares but also your Excellency may be graciously pleased to find place in the Budget in the Endowment Fund to perform the marriage of the Memorialist's grand-daughter whose responsibility entirely has been upon the Memorialist. The Memorialist will never go against the orders of the benign Government to get the grace whatever the benign Government may prefer to give her, but in consideration of the ances of her husband, the Memorialist is eligible to indulge upon the benevolence of Your Excellency and the Officers of the Benign Government who come across with this Memorial for compliance of her prayer.

6 That the Memorialist further begs to state that after God she has no other door to seek for mercy and support except craving at Your Excellency's merciful doors for patronage and redress.

7 That under the above circumstances, the humble Memorialist begs to throw herself with all her dependants upon the clemency of the Crown and Your Excellency's clemency and prays that she may not be shuffled from Your Excellency's most merciful doors where she has come across to seek relief.. The Memorialist prays that Your Excellency may

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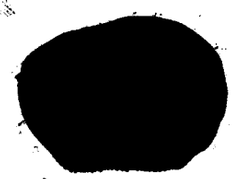
may be graciously pleased to consider the nature of her most pitiable case favourably and thus the full pension of Rs.50/- of her late Husband Haji Ali Ahmed Sahib Chida may kindly be granted and continued among her two daughters Viz., Mahboob Begum Saheba and Bathulla Begum Saheba in equal shares and the marriage of her grand-daughter may be ordered to be performed from the Budget of the Endowment Fund.

8 The humble Memorialist solicits a favourable order.

9 For this act of grace, mercy, sympathy and patronage, the humble Memorialist will ever pray that the Sun of Your Excellency be ever increasing with prosperity, may loom large into still continuing and prosperous glory with heartlong life.

The humble memorialist begs to remain,
May it Please Your Excellency,
Your Excellency's most obedient servant



No.164, Jani Jahan Khan Road,
Royapettah, Madras,

30th May 1929.

Thumb Impression of Laldi Begum Saheba.

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SUBJECT.....

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Date of issue..... 11-7-29

Signed by ..... Asst. D.C.S.

To

Endt: grantee to Ladili Begum Saheba. No: 164, Jani Jahan Khan Road, Royapettah Madras.

With reference to her memorial dated 30th ult. May: 1929, praying that the ~~Pension~~ State pension of Rs 50/- pm which was being enjoyed by her late husband Hajee Ali Ahmed Chidy, may be Continued ~~to~~ in favour unreduced, the memorialist is informed that there is no reason to reconsider the previous decision.

The request is ~~refused~~ rejected.

Bjo

for H. Secy

9.7.29

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